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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

DAVID R. KRANZ

Serial No. 09/944,091

Filed: August 31, 2001

For: USING SHIFTED SYNGAS TO
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CATALYST

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: GROUP ART UNIT 1754

: EXAMINER: Jonas N. Strickland

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully responds to the Examiner's Non-Final Rejection (Paper No. 6) which was mailed May 15, 2003, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set, thereby having a response due on August 15, 2003. Filed concurrently herewith are a Request for Extension of Time and appropriate fees extending the period for response by one month to September 15, 2003.

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Appl. No. 09/944,091
Response dated September 12, 2003
Reply to Office Action of May 15, 2003

Introductory Comments

Please find a response to the Examiner's Non-Final rejection which was sent May 15, 2003. Respectfully, Applicant traverses the Examiner's rejection for the stated reasons.